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## THE STATE.

### Matters of Interest and Importance Occurring the Past Week.

Fire in the Illinois Central shops at Paducah caused a loss of \$25,000.

The balance in the State Treasury at the close of business July 31 was \$215,398.13.

George W. Ranck, the historian and capitalist, of Lexington, was killed by a train near that city.

Russell Green, a country merchant, was waylaid and perhaps fatally injured by robbers in Franklin county.

Miss Amelia Jackson was accidentally shot and killed by her brother, Will Hubbard, of Clay county.

The Democratic Legislative Committee for the Fifth district, composed of Lyon and Marshall counties, met at Calvert City and declared J. Boyard Wyatt the nominee.

When A. D. Beauchamp, of near Hawesville, Ky., threshed his crop of seventy-five acres he had thirty-five shocks, making in all twenty-four bushels. This is an indication of what the drouth has done for the farmer.

The census bureau finds that the female population of Kentucky constitutes 46.2 per cent of the entire population. The total population of the State is 2,147,174, and of this 50,249 are foreign born. There are 264,895 negroes.

Hon. Charles K. Wheeler opened his senatorial campaign in a speech at Tunnel Hill, in Hardin county, Saturday. Judge Cantrell and congressman Smith were also there, but only made brief talks. Several thousand people were present.

Gov. Beckham has pardoned Glenn Steffey, of Hopkins county who was serving a life sentence in the penitentiary for complicity in the murder of Hewlett Howton, a victim of regulators. The petition for pardon was the largest ever presented at Frankfort in behalf of a prisoner.

Judge J. D. White, of Bardwell has given out officially the statement that he would positively be a candidate for re-election as Judge of the Court of Appeals from this district. It has persistently been published and rumored that he would not be a candidate, but he will. He will have several opponents.

In cleaning out an old spring within twenty-five or thirty yards of his residence, Mr. Chas. Ratcliff, a hardware dealer of Princeton, struck water which is so strongly impregnated with oil that it is unfit for use. The oil, according to statements of experts, is of a fine quality.

Incendiaries made a futile attempt to burn the town of Crittenden, situated on the Cincinnati Southern, eleven miles north of Williamstown. They set fire to the town at four different places, at the same time, but it was extinguished before much headway had been gained.

There is trouble brewing between the typographical union and the newspapers of Paducah. The union has demanded an increase of one-third in wages, and a reduction from nine and a half hours a day to eight hours. The publishers of the four daily papers met and refused to accede to the agreement.

Two farmers, J. H. Green and Henry Haggard, of near Williams-town, are busily engaged in digging for gold. A tramp passed through their farm several weeks ago and told them to dig in a certain place and they would find gold in large quantities. They have worked steadily at "mining" ever since, but not a speck of the yellow metal has been found.

James H. Smallwood and Wm. B. Lewis, of Owensboro, are descendants of Hezekiah Smallwood of Birmingham, England, who recently died leaving an estate of \$15,000,000. Smallwood was offered \$100,000 by his Birmingham agent for his share in the estate, but he refused to accept it. Both Lewis and Smallwood are street car motormen in Owensboro.

Judge J. D. White has announced himself a candidate for re-election in the First Appellate district next year. Judge J. E. Robbins, of Graves and John L. Dorsey of Henderson are certain entries, and Judge Thos. J. Nunn of Madisonville, and Thos. P. Cook of Murray are strong probabilities. The district contains thirteen counties in the First district and five in the Second.

Monday morning about 2 o'clock some unknown parties fired fifteen shots at the family residence of Mr. I. Bailey, general manager of the Reinecke Coal Company in Madisonville. Nine of the bullets pierced the house, several passing through the room occupied by Bailey and his wife, and others passing through the room occupied by his little daughter. Mrs. Bailey was ill at the time and a reward has been offered for the arrest of the miscreants.

Robert R. Hilton, of Warren county, for twelve years an inmate of the State penitentiary at Frankfort, under sentence of life imprisonment for murder, has made his escape from that institution. He walked away from the prison gate, where as a trusty he was for several years. Hilton is the author of a book entitled, "Ten Years a Convict," which he published on May 17, 1900, the tenth anniversary of his arrival at the prison. Many copies of this pamphlet were sold.

The Princeton Banner of last week tells of a peculiar death as follows:

"Last Sunday afternoon Mrs. Press Martin, who lives in New Bethel neighborhood, was suddenly stricken with convulsions and remained in a state of unconsciousness for nearly twenty-four hours, and then passed away.

"Her son Ollie and a neighbor boy about the same age, seventeen were seated on the porch smoking cigarettes and talking. Mrs. Martin laughingly proposed that one of the boys make her a cigarette. He did so and Mrs. Martin, who had never touched one before, took a small puff from the cigarette and immediately fell from her chair, unconscious and in spasms. A husband and six children are left to mourn her loss."

### Astounded the Editor.

Editor S. A. Brown, of Bennettsville, S. C., was once immensely surprised. "Through long suffering from dyspepsia," he writes "my wife greatly run down. She had no strength or vigor and suffered great distress from her stomach. But she tried Electric Bitters which helped her at once, and after using four bottles she is entirely well, can eat anything. Its a grand tonic, and its general laxative qualities are splendid for torpid liver." For Indigestion, Loss of Appetite, Stomach and Liver troubles, its a positive guaranteed cure. Only 50c at Orme's.

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J. W. Blue, Jr.

## THE PAN-AMERICAN.

### Rev. Price Visits the Exposition and Gives His Views Thereon.

A visit to the Pan-American Exposition at Buffalo is well worth one's time and money if he has them to spare. I shall speak only of the newer features, or features of excellence in this exposition. The arrangement of the buildings and of the grounds is excellent. The main buildings are arranged in a circular form in the shape of the letter C, with the Court of the Fountains in the center, or rather occupying the main space in the center of this circle. Excepting the Art Gallery, which is removed to a distance for fear of fire, a few steps from any of the main buildings will take you to the next adjoining one.

In architectural design, in the elaborateness of the ornamentation, and in the beauty and variety of coloring, the Pan-American buildings are quite superior to those of the World's Fair at Chicago. Of course there is not that massiveness of structure, but the variety of the coloring and the beauty of the finish affords a spectacle which is constantly pleasing to the eye.

While the exhibits are not so numerous or massive as in Chicago, yet they are choice. The best of everything is to be seen, and there are not so many repetitions as in Chicago; that is, you do not see the same thing over and over in different buildings.

Again, the actual working department of the exposition is of superior merit. Many things are manufactured before your eyes. For instance there is a shoe manufactory showing every phase through which the shoe passes, from the crude leather to the finished product.

The working department of Graphic Arts is very fine. In this department the advanced forms of printing, engraving, lithographing, envelope making, etc., is exhibited to all. It is interesting to see them prepare the plates and print the Weather Bureau maps. Every morning about 11 o'clock you can get fresh from the press a map indicating the weather for the next 24 hours.

But the feature of the Pan-American Exposition which surpasses all others thus far, is the electrical display. The Electrical Building is teeming with the mysteries of this subtle force. The latest electrical machines and appliances are here exhibited. In this building are the receivers in which the vast volume of electricity from the generators of Niagara Falls is received, transmitted into light and force, and transmitted to every part of the exposition grounds. The Electric Tower rises 400 feet high and is most beautiful in construction. For 25 cents you can ascend in an elevator 350 feet high. Here are galleries around the tower from which you have a delightful view of the exposition grounds of the city, and of the surrounding country for miles. On a clear day, with good field glasses, you can get a fine view of the country for 25 miles, in almost every direction. But the illumination at night is the climax of beauty. Every building is lined with electric bulbs wrought into fantastic forms and figures. There are thousands of poles with clusters of electric bulbs on top. When the illumination begins these bulbs glow with a reddish tint, and so dim they can scarce be seen, but with each successive second they glow with a stronger light until, at last

everything is aglow with a dazzling brilliance. It is interesting to see from 30,000 to 50,000 people gather in the esplanade or open space in front of the Electric Tower for an hour beforehand, awaiting the splendors of the electrical display.

Niagara Falls! What may be said of it? That stupendous marvel of nature, which has attracted the sight seer as well as the lover of nature until the very rocks are worn smooth beneath the mighty tread of that army of constant visitors. As it pours over the lofty cliffs in sheets of feathery spray, or in the bluer tint of the deeper falls of the Canadian side, plunging headlong into the seething abyss below, it fills one's mind with feelings of the sublime. The Gorge Route should never be missed. The trolley cars can take one down the Canadian side on the top of the bank two hundred feet above the roaring river, circling around the whirlpool and crossing the rapids. Then you come up the river on the car along the water's edge, passing the whirlpool and the whirlpool rapids, and then gradually ascend the bank until you get to the top at Niagara Falls.

The whirlpool rapids is a wonderful scene. All the waters of the great lakes are compressed into a narrow gorge, but with such a fall that the water runs at the rate of 37 miles an hour, and Prof. Lyell calculated that 1,500,000,000 cubic feet of water passed every minute. The channel has many great boulders in it, against which the rushing torrent dashes with impetuous fury, only to be thrown in foamy masses to an astonishing height.

Those who are fond of exciting scenes can take a ride on the "Maid of the Mist" right up against the raging descent of the mighty torrent, until the spray of the falling waters cover you as with a film of cloud.

The islands above the falls are attractive, and give a fine view of the water in the rapids before it takes its awful plunge. I shall return to Chautauqua for a ten days rest, and then for home.

J. F. Price.

### LETTER FROM KANSAS.

FT. RILEY, KAN., Aug. 2.

EDITOR PRESS: I have arrived at my post and according to request will send the PRESS a few lines.

I (which is we, as it includes the Marion troupe), arrived at this fort July 5th. Immediately after our arrival our government goods were issued to us, which includes clothing, food and bedding material. James Summerville was sent to the Sixth Battery, while the rest of the boys are quartered at the Seventh post.

This is a very beautiful fort; the government owns nearly 25,000 acres of land, and many thousand dollars worth of buildings. The trees here are dying on account of need of rain. Even the grass, which was green when we arrived, has been burned up by the hot weather.

All of the important buildings are located on Sheridan Avenue, which includes the Administration Building, chapel, canteen, officers' residences and guard house.

Secretary of War Root was here last week inspecting the fort. The general opinion is that a national guard barracks will be erected here.

We have drill two hours every day, and after it is over we can do as we please.

I think we shall enjoy a soldier life. I would write more but my time is limited. Will give a more complete description next time.

M. C. Sutherland, Seventh Battery, Field Artillery, Fort Riley, Kansas.

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## A WEEK'S RECORD

All the News of the Past Seven Days Condensed.

### HOME AND FOREIGN ITEMS

News of the Industrial Field, Personal and Political Items, Happenings at Home and Abroad.

### THE NEWS FROM ALL THE WORLD

#### DOMESTIC.

Peter E. Kelley, aged 85 years, and his wife, four years older, both died at Helena, Ill., within a few hours of each other.

Richard Hearn, a farmer near Mattoon, Ill., was ordered to leave \$2,000 in a designated spot for blackmailers or his daughter would be murdered.

The barge Sagamore sunk in a collision near Port Huron, Mich., and Capt. Joiner and two of the crew were drowned.

The first national bank of New York paid a dividend of \$5,000,000 on old capital stock of \$500,000. This was at the rate of 1,000 per cent.

Miss Ruth Hanna will christen the cruiser Cleveland with water instead of champagne.

Secretary Long has ordered everybody connected with the navy department to refrain from talking publicly of the Santiago controversy.

Reports show that the drought has cut the corn crop one-third, but that the wheat harvest will be the greatest in the nation's history.

The postmaster general has issued an order placing the American postal service in China on the same basis as before the outbreak.

Policeman Pass and his son and W. E. Knox were killed in a fight with negroes at Indian, Tenn.

The corn crop in Iowa has been saved by rain.

The transport Meade arrived at San Francisco from Manila in the record-breaking time of 21 days.

Admiral Kimberly has asked to be relieved from duty on the Schley court of inquiry because of ill health.

Dock laborers struck at San Francisco, Oakland, Mission Rock and Port Cost. Twelve thousand men are involved.

Suit has been begun in New York to recover some of the \$2,500,000 which Capt. O. M. Carter swindled the government out of.

The body of Banker Penick, of Charleston, Ia., was found in the lake near Racine, Wis.

Edwin Gould is planning to combine all the match companies in the world.

Mrs. Anna Brudowicz, aged 22 years, a bride of 24 hours, danced herself to death at her wedding feast in McKeesport, Pa.

Emil Hartman, of Duluth, Minn., fought a duel with a lieutenant of the German army at Aachen, the latter being severely wounded.

The assistant secretary of agriculture, after a trip through the west, declared the damage to corn had been exaggerated.

Gen. Leonard Wood, governor general of Cuba, arrived in New York from Havana.

A trainload of homeseekers returning from El Reno was wrecked near Kremlin, Okla., and one was killed and four injured.

A mysterious grave at Kalamazoo, Mich., was disclosed by the midnight visits of an unknown woman to the place.

The grand jury indicted over a score of election clerks and judges for alleged fraud in counting ballots in Chicago.

Mrs. Carrie Nation, serving a sentence in the jail at Topeka, Kan., for joint smashing, has been pardoned by Gov. Stanley.

S. F. Tustin, a druggist, killed himself at the Great Northern hotel in Chicago because he was too poor to marry.

Settlement of the steel strike was delayed by radicals in the Amalgamated association, who oppose the acceptance of Morgan's terms.

Four robbers held up a Baltimore & Ohio limited train near Edgemoor, Ind., detached two mail cars from the train and blew one open with dynamite, but got nothing. They overtook the express car containing money.

Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Tallafiero were murdered in their home near Memphis, Tenn., by negroes.

Andrew Carnegie has offered a \$40,000 library to Joplin, Mo.

Mrs. Armon Armonson and eight-year-old son were burned to death in a fire which destroyed their residence near New Glarus, Wis.

Gold in the treasury July 31 amounted to \$504,354,297, the largest amount ever held there.

Alva Jones and wife, an aged couple, died almost at the same time in Kindersook, Mich.

Joseph and Edward Prather (brothers) were killed by lightning on a farm near Martinsville, Ind.

J. Pierpont Morgan rejected counter proposals of the steel workers and notified them that the offer made in final so far as the steel trust is concerned.

Isaac Lane and wife were shot to death by negroes near Helena, Ark.

Three counterfeiters with their outfit were discovered in a South Dakota canyon near Deadwood.

James McCoy and his two children were burned to death in a fire in their home in Brooklyn, N. Y., and Mrs. McCoy was fatally injured.

Lloyd and Marie Shoemaker, aged five and eight years, were killed by rolling over a precipice 200 yards high near Morgantown, W. Va.

Negotiations for the consolidation of the leading photographic dry-plate factories of the United States and Europe with a capital of \$30,000,000 are pending.

A cyclone wrecked several houses near Kilmarr, Kan., and did other damage.

July has passed into history as a breaker of records in the matter of hot weather.

The public debt statement issued on the 1st shows that the debt decreased \$2,928,657 during the month of July. The cash balance in the treasury was \$207,368,876. The total debt, less the cash in the treasury, amounts to \$1,369,179,329.

Fred Yeast, a farmer near Sherburne, Minn., shot and fatally wounded Eliza Kunkle, killed her ten-month-old babe and then committed suicide.

Seven persons suspected of the train robbery near Edgemoor, Ind., are under arrest.

At Brownstown, W. Va., Wyatt Hareless shot and killed his sweetheart, Maud Pauley, and then shot himself.

The chief inspector of the post office department says 1,635 offices were robbed the past fiscal year.

Mrs. Josephine Dashaunt wrecked a saloon at Sandusky, O., with bricks, because she saw her husband coming out of the place.

President Kruger will make a tour of American cities, beginning the latter part of August.

The flouring mill of E. Heise & Sons at Baltimore, Ind., was burned by black-mallers, who threatened its destruction unless given money.

The government's land lottery ended in Oklahoma, 13,000 winning numbers having been turned out.

George H. Phillips & Co., of the Chicago board of trade, announced suspension of business because of losses suffered to family bookkeeping which will reach \$300,000.

John W. Lipps, of Chicago, found his son in an orphanage at Berne, Ind., after a separation of six years.

Betty McGraw (colored) and her son and daughter were lynched by a mob at Carrollton, Miss., for the murder of Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Tallafiero.

Because his mother sold their farm in Orange county, Ind., John Bond (colored), 34 years ago went to bed and vowed he would stay there. He kept his word, and died at the age of 79.

Steamboat Island, one of the Apostle group of Chequamegon bay, Lake Superior, has disappeared.

The transport Kilpatrick sailed from San Francisco for Manila with recruits.

Government receipts in July amounted to \$32,320,340 and the expenditures \$32,307,590, leaving a surplus of \$12,750, against a deficit for July, 1900, of \$4,000,000.

A Boer sympathizer at Albion, N. Y., burned a British flag strung across the street.

#### PERSONAL AND POLITICAL.

Rev. Adam Miller, founder of the German Methodist church in the United States, died in Chicago, aged 91 years. He leaves a wife, aged 92 years.

George H. Yenowine, one of the well-known newspaper men in the west, died in Milwaukee, aged 44 years.

Bryanites at Columbus, O., organized the progressive democratic party of Ohio and named a state ticket on a free silver plank with Dr. Rudolph Reumelin for governor.

Mrs. Rebecca Lovell (colored) celebrated her one hundred and fourth birthday at Hopkinsville, Ky.

John Davis, who represented the Fifth Kansas district in congress from 1890 to 1892 as a populist, died in Topeka, aged 74 years.

The Maryland democratic state convention in Baltimore adopted a platform declaring it the purpose of the party to eliminate the negro from politics.

The national socialist convention at Indianapolis, Ind., designated St. Louis as the national headquarters of the party.

James P. Goodrich, of Winchester, has been elected chairman of the Indiana republican state committee.

#### FOREIGN.

Colombian authorities seized a passenger at Cartagena on the Atlas liner Allegheny, sailing under the German flag.

Commemorative exercises were held throughout Italy on the first anniversary of King Humbert's assassination. William Redmond and Patrick O'Brien were suspended by the British house of commons for disrespect to the speaker during a debate.

The proposed new electoral law was read before the Cuban constitutional convention. Candidates for office must possess many qualifications. Naturalized voters must live in the island eight years.

France and Germany apparently contemplate a long occupation of Shanghai, where permanent barracks for troops are being built.

An unknown man attempted to assassinate Queen Dowager Maria Pia of Portugal at Aix-les-Bains.

Mrs. Nellie Grant Sartoris has bought a summer home at Coburg, Ont.

The last of the German troops left Peking, a legion guard of 25 being the only ones remaining there.

The British had an all day conflict at Nguta with 400 Boers, in which four British, including a major, were killed. Austrian garrisons in the Balkans have been placed on a war footing because of the disturbances in Albania.

## KENTUCKY AND ST. LOUIS.

Touring Blue Grass Editors Entertained by St. Louis World's Fair People.

### AN UNANIMOUS PLEDGE OF SUPPORT.

The Visitors Breakfasted at the Cottage, at Forest Park, as Guests of the Executive Committee, and Then Indulged in a Happy Exchange of Kindly Sentiment.

St. Louis, Aug. 4.—The Kentucky Editorial association excursionists, en route to Lake City, reached St. Louis at daylight Saturday morning, were met at the Union station by a reception committee from the press bureau of the Louisiana Purchase exposition and escorted to Forest Park cottage in special cars over the Trans-Missouri line, where they were the guests of the executive committee of the Louisiana Purchase Exposition Co. at a delightful breakfast, 110 being in the party.

At the breakfast Mr. R. W. Brown, managing editor of the Louisville Times and president of the association, introduced Gov. Francis, who spoke happily of the Exposition of 1904 and the interest Kentuckians, by reason of their prominent part in the Purchase, should feel in its success.

Gov. Francis spoke.

"We are here to welcome our association," said Gov. Francis. "We are glad of this opportunity to extend to you a handshake on your way to the west. You can say to your neighbors at home that the Kentuckians in Missouri look back with pride to the land of blue grass, and always are happy to extend their hands in welcome to their old friends. We should be close friends, we Missourians and Kentuckians, in the celebration of the Louisiana Purchase, for it was that unrest on the part of the people of your state to get control of the vast territory west of the Mississippi that aroused in the minds of Jefferson and his associates the importance of that big land sale. We are preparing to fitly celebrate the acquisition of the Louisiana Purchase in 1803. Kentucky has not yet made an appropriation for representation at the World's fair. We must have your support, for you are the leaders of thought and action within your commonwealth. We know that with your enthusiastic assistance it will go through. We are glad to have you with us this morning."

Breakinridge Jones Followed.

At the conclusion of Gov. Francis' remarks he was heartily cheered, and President Brown introduced Mr. Breckenridge Jones, president of the St. Louis Kentucky society, who welcomed the editors to the city in a very timely talk.

A fitting response was made by Judge John E. Kelly, of the Bardonia (Ky.) Record. Judge Kelly assured Gov. Francis and his associates of the Louisiana Purchase Exposition Co. that the Kentucky editors, and in fact all the people of Kentucky, were with them heart and soul in the celebration of the Louisiana Purchase.

"And if there's anything else you want to buy," said the judge, "we're in with you to the end." In closing he extended the heartfelt thanks of the editors and their wives and daughters for the courtesy shown them by the exposition management.

A Kentucky Pledge.

"Sentiment is a good thing," said President Brown, "and we have now indulged in it freely on this occasion. I think the right thing for the Kentucky editors to do is to get down to hard pan, right here and now, and pledge Gov. Francis and his associates that the Kentucky people will make an appropriation for representation at the World's fair large enough so that no Kentuckian who visits your monster exposition will be ashamed to boast to the people from all over the world that he is from Kentucky. Let us then by a standing vote (all stood up) pledge to Gov. Francis and this committee that we will exert every influence at our command to secure an appropriation from the next general assembly to the end that Kentucky may be creditably represented at the great fair."

Good-By to St. Louis.

The pledge made, the applause over, the party, after shaking hands with Gov. Francis and Mr. Jones, strolled back through the World's fair site to the Lindell railway pavilion on the north side of the park and boarded the special cars for Union station, arriving in ample time to take the Missouri Pacific fast Colorado train for Kansas City.

They carried with them plenty of World's fair buttons and literature for distribution at Denver and Salt Lake City.

Pioneer Maltster Dead.

St. Louis, Aug. 4.—Rudolph Schmidt, one of the pioneer maltsters of the city, died, Friday, of a complication of liver and kidney troubles. He had been confined to the house for the past six months. He was born in Germany in 1835.

ILLINOIS COLORED SCHOOL.

Preparations for Opening the Industrial Institute Near Eldorado—Second of Its Kind.

Carbondale, Ill., Aug. 5.—Preparations are under way for the opening of the new colored industrial school near Eldorado, Ill., the coming fall. The school will follow the lines of work as used in the Tuskegee (Ala.) college, of which Prof. Booker T. Washington is president. The institution will be the second of its kind in the United States.

### ALIGNING FOR BATTLE.

Negotiations Having Failed the United States Steel Corporation and the Amalgamated Association Will Fight.

Pittsburgh, Pa., Aug. 4.—"Within a week every union man and every union man at heart in the employ of the United States Steel corporation will be asked to join in the strike now being waged by the Amalgamated association. We must settle whether unionism is to stand or fall."

"There will be no more conferences with the United States Steel corporation. The Amalgamated association will not request a peace meeting."

These and several other significant statements were made to-night by President Shaffer of the Amalgamated Association of Iron, Steel and Tin Workers, upon his return from the fruitless conference with J. Pierpont Morgan and others in New York.

It is now a fight to a finish between the great billion-dollar steel trust and organized labor. Mr. Shaffer says that he is ready to employ every peaceable means within the power of man to win a victory. No quarter is to be given and none will be requested. The entire management of the battle has been placed in the hands of President Shaffer. He has absolute power to call out every man who is connected with the organization, and he intends to do it. He is satisfied with the progress of the fight to date. He finds that none of his battle lines have been broken. Promise is made by Mr. Shaffer that the trust will find the Amalgamated association is strong in many of its mills.

REFUTED BY BADEN POWELL.

Mrs. Kruger and Mrs. Steyn Were Both Liberally Treated by the British at Pretoria.

New York, Aug. 4.—A dispatch to the Journal and Advertiser from London says:

The charge has been made that Mrs. Kruger was subjected to unkind treatment by the British and was practically held a prisoner.

Gen. Baden-Powell now asserts that Mrs. Kruger, since President Kruger left South Africa for Europe, up to the time of her death, was in receipt of £250 a month from the British government, and that she also had the free use of a government carriage and government horses.

The Mafeking hero also states that Mr. Steyn, wife of President Steyn of the late Orange Free State, was paid £100 a month by the government and likewise had the use of a carriage and horses.

This latter statement is said to be confirmed by a letter from Mrs. Steyn to a niece in Scotland, in which she wrote, "I never lived so well in my life."

BRITISH WHEAT HARVEST.

The Yield is Fine in Quality, But Will Only Average Four Quarters to the Acre.

London, Aug. 4.—The wheat harvest in the United Kingdom has been in full swing for a week, and the Mark Lane Express calculates that, although the quality is fine, the yield in the most important counties will be four quarters to the acre, against the usual five quarters.

Barley, likewise, is of good quality but the quantity is below the average; and oats are too thin to make a big crop.

The yield of English and Scotch potatoes will be fully up to the average, while Ireland promises the best yield since 1895, which was a grand year.

FAILED TO MAKE THE TOWER.

But the Failure was Such as to Assure Ultimate Success to M. Santos-Dumont.

Paris, Aug. 5.—M. Santos-Dumont, the Brazilian aeronaut, made another unsuccessful attempt yesterday afternoon to win the prize, 100,000 francs offered by D. Deutsch, of the Aero club for a dirigible balloon. He started from the grounds of the Aero club, the Park de Aeronautics, at St. Cloud, and headed for the Eiffel tower. When over Long Champ the guide rope caught in a tree. M. Santos-Dumont got clear, but finding he could not cover the course within the time limit, he returned to St. Cloud eight and one-half minutes after the start, having covered about half the distance to the Eiffel tower.

THE BIG BROOKLYN BRIDGE.

An Examination Ordered to Ascertain the Cost of Rebuilding the Structure.

New York, Aug. 4.—The examination of the Brooklyn bridge has been ordered with a view to ascertaining the cost, should the board decide to rebuild a part of the bridge. The opinion of experts differ widely as to what should be taken in view of the recent discoveries of breaks in the structure, but all agree that too great an unnecessary weight has been put upon the bridge in the last new years.

Killed by Mosquitoes.

Baltimore, Md., Aug. 4.—William Maher, aged 70 years, has been stung to death by mosquitoes in a dense swamp near his home at Nanticoke. Swarms of the insects settled upon him, literally incasing his face and hands. The aged man was found dying.

Steyn Sends Flag of Truce.

Kroonstad, Orange River Colony, Aug. 4.—Two Boers came into the British lines today under a flag of truce, with a letter from former president Steyn.

## AN EXPANDING INDUSTRY.

The Agricultural Department Preparing a Comprehensive Report on Truck Farming.

### THE POINTS COVERED BY THE REPORT.

A Distinct Agricultural Industry that Has Expanded From Year to Year Until Now It is One of the Most Far Reaching in the Country.

Washington, Aug. 4.—The agricultural department is preparing to publish a report by Edward G. Ward, Jr., and Edwin S. Holmes, Jr., on truck farming and the transportation of fruits and vegetables in the United States. The report covers the following points:

1.—A description of the transportation of fruits and vegetables from southern truck farms to northern markets.

2.—A description of the California fruit industry and the movement of California fruits to interior points and Atlantic seaboard cities.

3.—Freight rates and refrigerator charges on perishable products in all important sections of the country.

Reviewing the general growth of these interests the report says:

Truck farming in the United States has been recognized as a distinct agricultural industry for a period of about forty years.

The increasing population of the cities and a consequent demand for a greater quantity and larger variety of vegetables at all seasons of the year, the changed conditions and the surplus of labor in the south after the close of the civil war and the building of many thousands of miles of new railways have given this industry an impetus which has caused it to develop with remarkable activity and large areas throughout the entire country are now devoted almost exclusively to the growing of what is known as garden truck.

Affects the Southern States.

This is the especially true of all the southern states where, from late winter until early autumn, thousands and thousands of acres are under cultivation to supply northern markets with fruits and vegetables, there being hardly a northern city of any size which is not receiving its out-of-season garden truck. The southern planter has made new use of his farms.

Many of the improved facilities which have been adopted by the freight departments of our roads are directly attributable to the handling of perishable agricultural products. Routes have been shortened, through schedules adopted, motive power increased and by the use of ventilation, refrigeration, speed and quick delivery, the railroads are enabled to place the truck in the northern markets in as good condition as when it left the southern farm, even when it necessitates a journey of many hundreds of miles.

Seasons Obliterated.

Such a thing as a particular season for any kind of vegetable in our principal markets is at this time practically unknown, and it is now possible to draw upon the different sections of the country and receive at any season of the year nearly all the standard varieties of vegetables. In the late autumn and early spring Florida and the southern states furnish the supply for the northern markets until the advancing season (which moves northward at the rate of about 15 miles a day) matures the crops through the eastern and central states; these states supply the midsummer and autumn markets until the frosts of winter once more compel a return to the south, where a fresh crop is at the command of the market.

PROBABLY THE SAME BATTLE.

Reported Victory of Venezuelan Troops Over an Invading Colombian Army.

Caracas, Aug. 5.—The Venezuelan government announces that a force of invaders under Gen. Rangel Garibay, including 25 battalions of the Colombian army, was repulsed by the government troops and compelled to fall back across the frontier after 28 hours' fighting July 28 and July 29. It is officially asserted that the invaders lost 900 men, the government troops losing 300.

The government has sent reinforcements to the frontier.

Venezuelan Revolutionists Defeated.

London, Aug. 5.—The Reuter Telegram Co. has received the following dispatch, dated August 4, from Caracas:

"A dispatch from Caracas says that 5,000 revolutionists were defeated, after 30 hours' fighting, July 29 and July 30, with a loss of 800 men, the government loss being 300."

ANENT THE BENDER FAMILY.

A Resident of Guthrie, Okla., Says the Benders Were Caught, Shot and Buried.

Kansas City, Mo., Aug. 4.—A special to the Journal from Guthrie, Okla., says that Daniel W. Martin, of that city, was a member of the vigilance committee that pursued, overtook and executed the Bender family in the Verdigris River country. Mr. Martin says the Benders were shot beside graves that had been already dug for them.

### SOUTHERN GLEANINGS.

Interesting Census Figures.

The only southern states the figures of whose race populations have been reported for the census of 1900 are Alabama, Arkansas, Louisiana, Kentucky and Maryland. Going back to the census of 1870, the first after the civil war and after the freeing of the negroes, it is seen that in all the states mentioned, with the exception of Louisiana, there was a white majority. In each of those states the white majority has steadily increased; while in Louisiana, which started out with a negro majority, that has decreased until this state has acquired a white majority. The following figures are worth noting in this connection:

State	White Majority
Alabama—	1900 575,945
1880 500,000	
1860 450,000	
1840 400,000	
1820 350,000	
1800 300,000	
Arkansas—	1900 377,424
1880 300,000	
1860 250,000	
1840 200,000	
1820 150,000	
1800 100,000	
Kentucky—	1900 1,379,699
1880 1,200,000	
1860 1,000,000	
1840 800,000	
1820 600,000	
1800 400,000	
Maryland—	1900 731,860
1880 600,000	
1860 500,000	
1840 400,000	
1820 300,000	
1800 200,000	
Louisiana—	1900 73,888 White majority
1880 1,397 Negro majority	
1860 27,574 Negro majority	
1840 1,132 Negro majority	
1820 1,132 Negro majority	
1800 1,132 Negro majority	

The Convict Author Escapes.

Robert Hilton, a life prisoner in the Kentucky penitentiary, sent up from Warren county for murder, made his escape at night. Hilton, while confined in the prison, wrote a novel entitled "Ten Years a Convict," published this year. The publication has gained considerable circulation and has been a source of some revenue to Hilton. The story deals with prison life and is well written.

Hilton is a man of fine education







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ONE YEAR ONE DOLLAR

## ANNOUNCEMENTS.

### FOR COUNTY JUDGE.

We are authorized to announce  
J. G. ROCHESTER  
a candidate for re-election as County Judge of the Crittenden County Court, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

### FOR COUNTY ATTORNEY.

We are authorized to announce  
WILLIAM H. CLARK  
a candidate for County Attorney, subject to the action of the Democratic party. He will greatly appreciate your support.

We are authorized to announce  
GEORGE D. KEMP  
a candidate for Jailer of Crittenden County, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

We are authorized to announce  
J. P. SAMUELS  
a candidate for Assessor of Crittenden County, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

Gov Beckham celebrated his thirty-second birthday Monday.

On July 31 there was a balance of \$215,398.12 in the State treasury.

The prosperous times has not, it seems, diminished the delinquent tax list.

The life and fire insurance companies have paid \$130,000 into the State treasury and \$40,000 more is due from the same source.

Schley and Sampson might probably satisfy some of their friends by taking the Brooklyn and New York to Santiago bay and fighting it to a finish.

Senator Blackburn, of Kentucky, is to be married to Mrs. Mary F. Blackburn, widow of the late Judge H. H. Blackburn of Martinsburg, West Va., who was a distant relative of the Senator. The wedding is expected to take place before Congress meets.

In the opening speech of his campaign for United States Senator, Congressman Chas. K. Wheeler declared himself strongly in favor of selecting the party nominee for the Senate by primary election to be held at the same time of the November election. He said that individuals had a right to say who they wanted to represent them in the United States Senate.

Now that we are to vote upon the adoption of the stock law it would be well enough for neighbors to school themselves in coolness and good humor, for the front gate, cross-road and goods box discussions. If this question does not make orators and logicians of us all, then the school of experience is not what it is supposed to be.

Mr. Marion F. Pogue, of Crittenden county, who will represent Crittenden and Livingston counties in the next Kentucky Legislature, was in town yesterday. Mr. Pogue says he finds Democrats wide awake and is confident of success in November. The Democratic nominee is looking fine, and when the election returns come in next November Bill Bishop will realize that he has been following a race horse.—Livingston Banner.

### Deeds Recorded.

W. E. Cobb to Rosa Hughes, lot in Marion for \$125.

J. H. Morse to J. D. Wagner, 159 acres of Garland Carter farm for \$1250.

### Business Change.

Mr. J. H. Orme has sold his drug business to R. L. Moore and the latter has sold it to Mr. H. K. Woods.

Woods & Blue have sold their tobacco stemmery to Moore & Langley.

## THE STOCK LAW.

The Question to be Submitted at November Election.

At the special session of the fiscal court last Friday the following petition was presented:  
We the undersigned legal voters of Crittenden county do hereby petition said court and ask that a submission of the question whether hogs and sheep shall be permitted to run at large in said county. That said question shall be submitted to the legal voters of said county at the next regular election held in and for said county, on Tuesday, Nov. 5, 1901.

The petition is signed by 122 legal voters, who live in various sections of the county. The stock law has been discussed by the people of this county for some years past, and strong partisans have developed on each side of the question. The "milk cow" has figured largely in these discussions, and the petitioners have eliminated this phase of the question by making the law they seek applicable to sheep and hogs only.

## A MYSTERIOUS CASE

Of Poisoning in Livingston County Causes Great Excitement.

A mysterious case of poisoning occurred at an ice cream supper at Mint Spring, about six miles northwest of Smithland, last week as a result of which two young ladies, Misses Ida Settles and Fannie Sisco, and two young men, Jesse Garrett and Burn Guess, came near dying.

A bucket of water, which was brought from the spring by a young man named Fred Gaines, was found to contain tincture of cantharides. Of this water the four persons who were taken so suddenly ill had drunk freely. All of the young people poisoned suffered greatly during Saturday night and Sunday, and the two young ladies, it was thought could not recover, but all are now believed to be out of danger.

The drug was, no doubt, placed in the water by some one with a criminal intent, and the people of that neighborhood are greatly excited and justly indignant over the matter. The parties whose lives were saved only by the most careful treatment, are among the most prominent of that section, and a thorough investigation of the dastardly crime will be made.

### New Superintendent.

Mr. H. A. Haynes has been made Superintendent of the Fluor Spar Co., and is actively engaged in the work incident thereto. Harry is one of the few men who have the happy faculty of adapting themselves readily to any work that comes their way, and that he will succeed as a miner goes without saying. The Fluor Spar Co. is composed of local capitalists exclusively, and it is making some money for the investors. Ready sale and a good price is found for the fine spar from its mines.

### Returned from North Carolina.

Mrs. Ned Andrews reached home a few days ago from North Carolina, where she went shortly after the death of her husband several months ago. She has lost four members of the family with consumption and a beautiful seventeen year old daughter is nearing the dark river. The trip to the Old Bay State was made with the hope that the climate might benefit the invalid.

### Moved to New Cemetery.

Rev. J. W. Bigham has had the bodies of his three children, buried nearly twenty years ago in the old cemetery, moved to the new cemetery and placed by the side of the daughter recently buried. This family has buried six children—two are interred at Hopkinsville and four at Marion. The turbulent waves of sorrow have six times rolled over the threshold of this brave, loyal minister of the gospel, but that faith and hope he has so long and faithfully preached to others give him the fortitude to bear these trials as only the servant of God can.

### Badly Bruised.

Saturday night, near the Hampton camp ground, some reckless fellow drove into a surly occupant by J. C. Rutter, wife and two children, and Mrs. Geo. P. C. and two children, so frightening Mr. Rutter's team that it ran away and upset the surry. All the occupants were thrown out and badly bruised. Mr. Rutter was severely hurt.

## DEATH'S HARVEST.

Two Popular Young People Fall Before the Reaper.

R. G. Phillips died at the home of his brother-in-law, W. J. Hill, of the Tribune neighborhood, Sunday night, after a month's illness, of typhoid fever. The interment took place at Sugar Grove cemetery Monday afternoon. The funeral service was conducted by Rev. W. F. Hogard.

For several months prior to his illness Mr. Phillips was employed as salesman in McConnell & Stone's store in Marion, and as he became acquainted with the people, he grew in public favor. His genial disposition, affable manners and handsome face, and straightforward, frank way of doing business, made him personal as well as business friends.

He was born in this county 36 years ago, and was a son of the late Mack Phillips, who was one of the early settlers of the county, and the family is one of the oldest and most respectable of this region. Two brothers, John T. and William, now residents of Arkansas, and two sisters, Mrs. W. J. Hill, of this county, and Mrs. W. F. Hogard, of Eddyville, survive him.

"Whom the gods loved die young."

The old saying certainly seems true when we see the Death Angel claim for his victim one of the fairest and purest young ladies of our city. Miss Emma Bigham, the beautiful and beloved daughter of Rev. J. W. Bigham, passed away Friday morning at six o'clock, after suffering for several weeks with typhoid fever. The funeral services were conducted by Rev. Joiner at the family residence Saturday morning, and the remains were laid to rest in the new cemetery. The young lady was born in Lafayette, Ky., Dec. 17, 1880. She was a devoted member of the Methodist church, an active worker in the Sabbath school and Epworth League. She was passionately fond of music and was one of the leading members of the Methodist choir. She was always kind and of a joyous, happy disposition. Her cheerful, loving spirit brought sunshine into any circle she entered, and her departure for the bliss of heaven leaves a deep sorrow upon her many friends and the crushed hearts of her father and mother, who mourn the loss of their darling Emma.

In their affliction the bereaved family have the tender, deep sympathy of the entire community, and the friends of the popular minister and his loved family throughout the State, and the Princeton district especially, will mingle their tears with theirs in this sad hour.

The following resolutions were passed by the Methodist Sunday school:

Whereas, the hand of Providence has removed our beloved sister, Emma Owen Bigham, from the scene of her temporal labors, and from our Sunday school, Epworth League and choir, and in view of the loss we have sustained by her death, and of the still greater loss sustained by those who were nearest and dearest to her,

Be it resolved, That we deeply mourn her untimely death, and sincerely regret the loss of her faithful services as co-laborer in our Sunday school and Epworth League work, taking refuge in the thought, however, that after having ended her earthly trials, she has at last joined the redeemed in heaven.

Resolved, That we tender our earnest and heartfelt sympathies to the afflicted family, and commend them for consolation to Him who orders all things for the best, and whose chastisements are dealt by a loving hand.

Resolved, That we cherish her memory by performing all the rites due on so solemn an occasion.

Resolved, That the above resolutions be published in the Crittenden Press and church papers, and a copy of same be sent to the bereaved parents.

### Bad Conduct.

Sunday a young man named Ray fired off his pistol at the camp ground at Hampton and got himself arrested for his bad conduct. He was taken to Salem by constable Frank Scott, but succeeded in giving the officer "the slip" and is now at large, when it ought to be otherwise.

### Southdown Lambs.

I have a few thoroughbred Southdown buck lambs for sale. They are good ones.

A. H. Cardin.

## HUNTING ROCK-BOTTOM.

The Railroad People Sinking Holes Opposite Cave-in-Rock.

Last week a force of hands, with an engine and well-drill, came by steamer down the river and landed on R. N. Walker's farm, opposite Cave-in-Rock. They began work at the brink of the river and are driving holes through the earth to find the rock strata. Coming this way a hole will be driven every 500 feet across the bottom until the foothills are reached. It is generally understood that this work is being done by the Illinois Central railroad, though the contract for the privilege of crossing the farm is made in the name of M. Miller.

The line surveyed by the corps of engineers who recently went over the route from Marion to the Ohio river is being followed.

Definite or detailed information concerning the matter is still wanting; and, by the way, it is wanted by people along the line as bad as we all recently wanted rain, and it promises to be likewise as slow in coming.

The general opinion is that the long talked of road from Marion to Harrisburg, Ill., is in the initiative steps of building. A company is not likely to spend so much money without entertaining serious notions of building. At any rate it will in no wise be detrimental nor expensive to regard the road as one of the things the near future has in store for us.

## SEVEN HUNDRED

And Fifty Poll Tax Payers on the Delinquent List.

According to call the magistrates convened in special session Friday for the purpose of receiving the sheriff's delinquent tax list. Sheriff Pickens presented the list, embracing some 800 names. It was discussed and examined by the members of the court, and some names were scratched off and the court received the list, leaving seven hundred and fifty names as delinquents.

Dried apples are going to be a good price; we want them all.

Schwab.

## Commissioner's SALE!

Crittenden Circuit Court, Kentucky.

R. L. MOORE, et al., Plff. vs. E. E. COWAN, et al., Deft. Judgment

By virtue of judgment and order of sale of the Crittenden Circuit Court, rendered at the June term thereof, 1901, in the above cause, I shall proceed to offer for sale at the court house door in Marion, to the highest and best bidder, at public auction, on

MONDAY, AUG. 12, 1901,

at 1 o'clock, P. M., or thereafter, (being court day) upon a credit of six, twelve and eighteen months, the following described property, to-wit: Certain tracts of land lying and being in Crittenden county, Ky., and bounded as follows:

TRACT No. 1.

Containing 37 acres, bounded as follows: Beginning at a stone corner to dower in mouth of the lane, running S 55 and 3/4 W 76 1/2 poles to a black gum, another corner to dower, thence with a line of same N 81 W 102 poles to a white oak corner to original survey in Lawson Hughes' line, with same N 34 E 90 poles, to a stone in W. F. Summerville's line; thence with same S 60 1/2 E 64 poles to a mulberry; thence N 87 E 37 poles to a black gum on a branch; thence meandering same S 60 E 10, N 76 E 5, S 9 E 10, S 81 1/2 E 9 poles to the beginning; also to be sold with this tract 4 and 1/2 acres, bounded as follows: beginning at a stone in the Marion road, corner to a lot laid off for Belle Summerville; thence running with a line of same S 62 E 20 1/2 poles to a stone corner to same; thence S 12 W 29 poles to a post in original line thence with same N 82 W 20 poles to a stake in the Marion road; thence run-

ning with same N 81 E 38 poles to the beginning. There is a dwelling house situated on this lot. To be sold with lot No. 1. The mill lot containing one and one half acres, bounded as follows: Beginning at a stone on Flynn road, corner to R. L. Moore's lot; thence with his line N 33 1/2 E 22 poles to the Fish Trap road corner to dower; thence with a line of same S 78 W 30 poles to a stone in Summerville line; thence S 33 E 10 1/2 poles to beginning.

TRACT No. 2.

Containing 31 acres, bounded as follows: Beginning at a stone near a branch, corner to dower, running thence with a line of same S 50 W 67 poles to a stake in the Flynn road, corner to dower; thence with another line of same N 53 W 63 poles to a stake, corner to dower, in center of road; thence N 21 E 58 poles to a stone, corner to W. F. Summerville's; thence with his line S 75 E 68 poles to a stone on a branch; thence down said branch with its meanders, making the center of the branch the line, S 19 E 26 poles to the mouth of a small drain, dower line; thence up same N 60 W 15 poles to the beginning. To this tract there is one house and lot containing one and one fourth acres, bounded as follows: beginning at a stone at the junction of the Marion and Flynn road; thence running with the Flynn road, S 57 E 20 1/2 poles to a stake, near a corner post in a plank fence; thence S 12 W 8 1/2 poles to a stake, corner to D. M. Summerville's lot; thence with a line of same N 62 W 20 1/2 poles to a stake in the Marion road, corner to same; thence N 23 E 10 1/2 poles to the beginning.

TRACT No. 3.

Containing 77 acres, bounded as follows: Beginning at a stone on the original survey; thence running with a line of same W 47 E 57 1/2 poles to a dogwood; thence N 34 E 30 poles to a post oak, corner to a 24 acre tract of land sold from original survey to M. V. Beard; thence running with a line of same S 66 E 90 poles to a stake in John O. Burton's line; thence with said line S 60 E 68 poles to a stake in Fish Trap and Weston road; thence with same S 71 W 9 poles, S 55 W 23 poles, S 70 W 90 poles to a branch, corner to dower; thence with a line of same N 19 W 38 poles, N 75 W 15 poles; thence with a line of lot No. 2 up same branch, meandering same, N 19 W 26 poles to the beginning, making the center of the branch the line.

TRACT No. 4.

Containing 67 acres, bounded as follows: Beginning at a stone on the Flynn road corner to mill lot; thence running with a line of same N 33 1/2 E 22 poles to another corner to mill corner on Fish Trap road; thence with said road N 62 E 30 poles, N 70 E 80 poles, N 56 E 25 poles, N 70 E 9 poles, to a stake, corner to lot No. 3 in John O. Burton's line; thence with same S 10 1/2 E 34 poles to a post oak, thence S 32 W 4 poles to a black oak and gum, thence S 4 W 55 poles to a sassafras; thence S 8 1/2 W 27 poles to a stone, corner to a 15 acre lot laid off to L. B. Moore (same to be sold in connection with this tract); thence with a line of same W 76 poles to a stake on Flynn's road 17 1/2 poles from white oak and gum corner to original survey; thence with said road N 41 W 13 1/2 N 70 W 15, N 67 W 25 poles to the beginning.

Also a 9 acre lot on west side of Flynn road bounded as follows: Beginning at a stake on the Flynn road, corner to Belle Summerville's lot; thence S 12 W 37 1/2 poles to a fence post in original line; thence with same S 82 E 60 poles to a gum and white oak on Flynn road; thence with same N 41 W 31 N 51 1/2 W 15 N 37 W 25 poles to the beginning.

Also a 15 acre lot which was run off to L. B. Moore and which is bounded as follows: Beginning at a white oak and gum on Flynn road; thence with same N 41 W 17 1/2 poles to a stake; thence E 76 poles to a stake in original line, corner to R. L. Moore's lot; thence S 8 1/2 W 53 poles to a white oak on the west side of Flynn road; thence with same N 40 W 22 poles, N 60 W 54 poles, to place of beginning.

The dower tract, referred to herein as lot 7, containing 113 1/2 acres, upon which is situated the dwelling house, barn, stables, etc., and where E. C. Moore resided, beginning at a stone, corner to J. R. Summerville's store house lot on the Flynn road; thence running with his line S 37 1/2 W 8 3/5 poles to a stone, corner to same; thence with another line of same S 54 1/2 E 5 3/10 poles to a stake, corner to same; thence with another line of same S 34 W 28 poles to a red oak, corner to same; thence with another line of same S 50 W 27 poles to an elm and oak on a small creek; thence leaving said Summerville's land and continuing same course 74 poles to a small hickory; thence S 30 W about 16 poles to a black gum corner to original survey in Abner's line; thence N 62 W 31 poles to an elm; thence N 27 W 36 poles to a stone; thence N 81 W 145 poles to a post oak in Lawson Hughes' line; thence with same N 34 E 23 poles to a white oak, corner to original survey; thence with a line of same S 81 E 102 poles to a black gum; thence N 55 1/2 E 70 1/2 poles to a stone in the mouth of the lane, corner to Frank Summerville's home place; thence with a line of same E 48 poles to a stone in the Flynn road; thence with said road S 53 E 70 poles to a stake in said road; thence N 50 E 67 poles to a stone on a little drain leading into main branch; thence meandering said drain and main branch S 75 E 15 poles S 19 E 38 poles, to Fish Trap road; thence with said road S 65 1/2 W 30 poles, S 78 W 30 poles to a stake in J. R. Summerville's line; thence with same N 53 W 9 2/5 poles to the beginning.

Said commissioner is directed to sell the above described land separately, and by their respective boundaries, except such as are directed to be sold together; then he will sell them as a whole, accepting the bid which produces in the aggregate the most money; taking bond from the purchaser as above directed.

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The boundary of all of the above described lands, which the commissioner is directed to offer for sale as a whole, is as follows: Beginning at a corner to J. R. Summerville's store house lot on the Flynn's Ferry road; thence with his line S 37 1/2 W 8 3/5 poles to a stone, corner to same; thence with another line of same S 54 1/2 E 5 3/10 poles to a stake corner to same; thence with another line of same S 34 W 28 poles to a red oak, corner to same; thence with another line of same S 50 W 27 poles to an elm and oak on a small creek; thence leaving said Summerville's land and continuing same course 74 poles to a small hickory; thence S 30 W about 16 poles to a black gum, corner to the original survey in Abner's line; thence N 62 W 31 poles to an elm; thence N 27 W 36 poles to a stone; thence N 81 W 145 poles to a post oak in the Lawson Hughes line; thence N 34 E with said Hughes' line 103 poles (passing an original white oak corner at 23 poles) to a stone in Frank Summerville's line; thence with his line S 60 1/2 E 64 poles to a mulberry; thence N 87 E 37 poles to a black gum on a branch; thence with the meanders of the branch S 60 E 10 poles, N 76 E 5 poles, S 9 E 10 poles, S 81 1/2 E 9 poles to a stone in the mouth of a lane; thence with a line of Frank Summerville N 21 E 106 poles to a stone corner to W. F. Summerville; thence with another of his lines S 75 E 68 poles to a stone on a branch; thence N 47 E 57 1/2 poles to a dogwood; thence N 34 E 30 poles to a post oak, corner to a 24 acre tract sold off the original survey; thence with a line of said 24 acre tract S 66 E 90 poles to a stake in John O. Burton's line; thence with said Burton's line S 10 1/2 E 102 poles, to a post oak; thence S 32 W 4 poles to a black oak and gum; thence S 4 W 55 poles to a sassafras; thence S 8 1/2 W 27 poles to a white oak on the west side of Flynn road; thence with the meanders of the road N 40 W 22 poles, N 60 W 54 poles, to a white oak and gum, one of the original corners; thence N 82 W 83 poles to a stake in the Marion road; thence with same N 81 E 38 poles to a stake; thence N 23 E 10 1/2 poles to the junction of the Marion and Flynn's Ferry road; thence with the Flynn's Ferry road N 53 W 21 7/10 poles to the beginning, containing 361 1/2 acres, more or less.

The above described land is situated one mile North west of Kepton, at Mattoon, and it is one of the most desirable farms in Crittenden County.

For the purchase price the purchaser, with approved security or securities, must execute bond, bearing legal interest from the day of sale until paid, and having the force and effect of a judgment. Bidders will be prepared to comply promptly with these terms.

L. W. CRUCE, Commissioner.

Commissioner's SALE!

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MONDAY, AUG. 19, 1901,

at 1 o'clock, p. m., or thereafter, upon a credit of six, (6) twelve (12) and eighteen (18) months, the following described property, to-wit: Certain tracts of land lying and being in Webster county, Ky., and bounded as follows:

LOT No. 5.

Containing 76 acres, situated in Webster county, Ky., and bounded as follows: Beginning at a stone near a barn on west side of county road; thence with said road S 20 W 56 poles to an elm in Chapeze line; thence with same N 49 W 143 poles to a stone; thence N 31 E 67 poles to a thorn tree; thence S 63 E 130 poles to the beginning.

TRACT No. 6.

Containing 64 acres, situated in Webster county, Ky., and bounded as follows: Beginning at a stone on the west side of the county road, corner to lot No. 5; thence with a line of same N 60 1/2 W 130 poles to a thorn tree in original corner to lot No. 5; thence N 31 E 12 poles to an elm, corner to original survey; thence N 59 W 102 poles to a stone with elm pointers; thence N 17 1/2 E 10 poles to a small hickory, corner to R. L. Moore; thence with a line of same S 68 E 234 poles to a stone on east side of county road, also corner to R. L. Moore; thence S 22 W 42 poles to a stone; thence S 63 E 98 poles to a stone; thence S 20 E 194 poles to a stake; thence N 73 W 100 poles to a stone on west side of county road; thence S 20 E 6 poles to the beginning.

The Commissioner will offer for sale lots number 5 and 6, as above described, separately, and then he will offer said two lots for sale as a whole, and will accept the bid which in the aggregate produces the most money.

For the purchase price the purchaser, with approved security or securities, must execute bond, bearing legal interest from the day of sale until paid, and having the force and effect of a judgment. Bidders will be prepared to comply promptly with these terms.

L. W. CRUCE, Commissioner.



R. C. WALKER, Publisher  
WALTER WALKER, Manager.

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RESOLUTIONS OF RESPECT:—\$1.00

Dr. J. W. Crawford, of Blandville, is in town.

A little child of Marion Davidson is very sick.

The Piney campmeeting will begin this week.

County court will convene in this city Monday.

16 pounds granulated sugar for \$1.00 at Schwab's.

Mrs. E. M. Boaz returned from Marion this week.

Mr. Harry Oppenheimer spent Sunday in Princeton.

Mr. Tom Clifton is at French Lick Springs this week.

How are you on the stock law? is the pertinent question.

The campmeeting at Hampton is being largely attended.

Mrs. J. L. Paris, residing east of town, is dangerously ill.

Mr. J. W. Waggoner returned from Joplin, Mo., Tuesday.

Mr. E. L. Doles spent Saturday and Sunday in Lyon county.

Our river bottom corn simply can't make it.—Wm Barnett.

Miss Bruce, of Sullivan, is the guest of friends at this place.

Born to the wife of Mr. R. M. Pague, on Tuesday, a fine girl.

Miss Sallie Leiter of Evansville is the guest of Mrs. Kittinger.

Mason fruit jars, 1/2 gallons 75c., quarts 65c., pints 55c. Schwab.

Mr. L. W. Postlethwaite is spending the week at Cerulean springs.

Mrs. J. B. Hubbard spent last week with friends at Shady Grove.

Miss Dedie Clement is attending the Madisonville fair this week.

Messrs. J. W. Blue and C. S. Nunn were in Louisville this week.

Miss Cora Clifton, of Dycusburg, visited friends here last week.

Mr. Harry Woods, of Helena, Ark., is the guest of friends at this place.

James Lemon is very ill with typhoid fever at his home in East Marion.

Dr. Elder who has been dangerously ill for some weeks is improving.

Charles & Wheeler, the mule buyers, will be in this city Friday and Saturday.

Mrs. G. E. Grissom, of Sturgis, was the guest of relatives in this city last week.

Mr. Quirey and wife, of Sullivan, were guests of friends in this place last week.

Mr. J. E. Kennedy and family of Beech, Ark., are the guests of Mrs. E. M. Boaz.

The farmers of this county would be mighty glad to get out with a half crop of corn.

Mrs. T. A. Weldon returned to Mayfield this week, after a visit with relatives here.

Eld. T. D. Moore, of Hopkinsville, will preach at the Christian church Friday night.

Rev. James F. Price will return from New York Friday, after an absence of four weeks.

Mr. Horning, who was thrown from a buggy and badly hurt some weeks ago, is out on crutches.

The colored people are to have a grand barbecue in the Bigham grove at this place next Saturday.

Mr. F. M. Daniel left Friday for Missouri to remain several weeks. If he likes the country he will probably move to that State.

Miss Winnie Wilcox is visiting friends in the country.

Mr. Henry Hodge, of Louisville was in town this week.

Schwab will pay you the highest market price in cash for your wheat.

Be sure you get Schwab's prices before you buy any groceries or sell your produce.

Mrs. Nick Thomas, of Memphis was the guest of relatives in this city last week.

Rev. B. F. Dupuy left Tuesday for Memphis where he will remain for several weeks.

Mr. H. D. McChesney of Salem returned from Dawson yesterday. His wife will remain for some days yet.

Mr. A. C. Haynes, of DeLand, Fla., is the guest of his brothers, R. F., and H. A. Haynes, of this city.

"The rain is said to spoil nubbins but this year it will make a few in my section."—Charlie La Rue.

1 gallon tin bucket for ten cents Schwab.

Rev. J. S. Chandler, of Franklin, Ky., passed through town Monday en route to the Hampton camp meeting.

David Crowell is building a pretty cottage residence for Mr. Grant Graves, on the Graves farm four miles north of town.

Dr. Ravdin the oculist of Evansville is in this city. Persons desiring to see him will find him at Dr. J. R. Clark's office.

Mrs. Gardner, who has been the guest of Miss Ruth Thomas for several weeks, returned to her home in Hopkinsville Tuesday.

Messrs. Tom Cochran, William Vandell, James Freeman and G. M. Crider and their families will spend some weeks at Hills spring.

Monday Mr. John Howland executed bond for his appearance at circuit court and was released. Several of his old neighbors went on his bond.

The iron bridge over Piney creek, which was washed from its foundation several months ago, has been repaired and placed in its old position.

Arbuckle's coffee 10 cents per pound. Schwab.

Prof. Evans is conducting the Webster county teachers institute at Dixon, this week. Last week Mr. Evans was engaged in institute work at Litchfield.

In last week's issue it was stated that Rev. W. R. Gibbs had sold his farm at Sheridan. This was a mistake, the farm sold is near Caldwell Springs.

Mrs. Heland Travis was adjudged insane Tuesday, and sent to the Hopkinsville asylum. Mrs. Travis has been in a demented condition for quite a while.

The pump has been pulled from the Bigham mines at this place. It is said that there is a disagreement among the members of the company was the cause for this step.

Cut your apples in large quarters, core them well in order to get the highest price. Schwab.

E. H. Doss returned to Henderson yesterday to relieve W. G. Hammond, the I. C. cashier for 30 days. Mr. Doss has a permanent position in the I. C. depot at Henderson, and will reside there.

16 pounds granulated sugar for \$1.00 at Schwab's.

Helps young ladies to withstand the shock of sudden proposals, that's what Rocky Mountain Tea has done. 35c. Made by Madison Medicine Co. Ask your druggist.

Mr. William Harrigan will remove his saloon into the building on Main street, one door south of Orme's drug store, formerly occupied by Miss Payne as a millinery store, within 10 days. He has the sole agency for the celebrated I. W. Harper and "Old Hickory" whiskies.

Mighty short, but we will make some corn in the bottoms yet.—Abe Alvis.

Mr. J. L. Rodgers, of Litchfield Ky., was in the city a few days the first of the week. While here as a storekeeper-gauger in 1895 he formed an acquaintance that necessitates a visit from him occasionally.

If a dealer asks you to take something said to be "just as good as Rocky Mountain Tea made by Madison Medicine Co." as him if he makes more money. Ask your druggist.

Mr. T. A. Minner is proprietor of the Cottage Hotel at Tolu. He solicits your patronage and support at all times and especially during the Hurricane camp meeting, which is held this month. Conveyances to and from the camp ground.

Schwab sells 17 lbs C sugar for \$1.00.

This office is in receipt of the 1901-2 catalogue of the Marion Graded School, issued by the Crittenden Press in two colors. It is a handsome edition, and as pretty piece of work as ever was printed in a country print shop.—Sturgis Herald.

We want your chickens, eggs and other produce. Best prices. Schwab.

Rev. Frank Jacobs conducted services at the Cumberland Presbyterian church Sunday morning. Mr. Jacobs is just entering the ministry, and is a most worthy young gentleman with a bright future. The sermon he delivered Sunday was an able one, and was highly appreciated by his congregation.

The beauty thief has come to stay Unless you drive the pimples and blackheads away. Do this; don't look like a fright. Take Rocky Mountain Tea tonight. Ask your druggist.

Nine members of the family of Monroe Coleman a prominent Caldwell county farmer, residing near Crider are confined to their beds with typhoid-pneumonia, and at present the chances for the recovery of five are very slight. Only the mother and two children are free to attend the sick.

The largest crowd that has gathered at the Crittenden Springs Hotel for many years enjoyed the Midsummer Ball Thursday evening. Many from this place were in attendance, and there were over one hundred guests from other places. The famous holstery is certainly enjoying a large patronage this season.

I want your peach seed. Don't throw them away. Will pay you cash. Schwab.

Last week W. B. Wilborn renewed his bond as ferryman at Fords Ferry, with C. S. Nunn and J. W. Blue as sureties. Mr. Wilborn has kept the ferry at that place so long and so faithfully that he is as familiar at that crossing as is the fabled Charon at his post, who is supposed to guide the helm of the craft that does such a volume of business on the river Styx.

**Lost.**  
In Marion, on Wednesday, July 25th, a black and white shepherd dog, answering to the name of "Boss." Is a trained stock dog. The person that returns him will be liberally rewarded.

J. A. Sullenger, Irma, Ky.

**Notice.**  
The Marion Electric Light and Ice Co. will have their electric light plant in operation at an early date; will be ready to do house wiring within the next ten days, and in order to have as many houses wired as possible by the time the plant is ready to start we will do all wiring free of charge to those applying for same before September first.

Marion E. L. & I. Co.

I want your wheat, will pay the highest price in cash. Schwab.

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## WE HAVE HAD A GLORIOUS RAIN!

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<p>16 lbs Granulated Sugar \$1. 17 lbs C Sugar, \$1</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>Mason Fruit Jars</b></p> <p>Half gallons, per doz. 75c. Quarts " 65c. Pinty " 55c.</p> <p>8 lbs best Soda for 25c. Lion Coffee, per lb 10c.</p>	<p>Arbuckles Coffee, per lb 10c Roasted Coffee, in bulk 8 pounds for \$1.00</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>Tin Buckets</b></p> <p>1 gallon, 10 cents. 1 1-2 gallon, 15 cents. 2 gallon, 20 cents.</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>Glassware and Tinware at your own price.</b></p>
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Price in CASH. Get my prices before selling.  
Be sure to price my goods before buying.**

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### CRITTENDEN SPRINGS.

The Popular Watering Place Has  
Its Complement of Guests.

This has been one of the most prosperous seasons Crittenden Springs has ever enjoyed. The hotel is in splendid hands, and has for the past two weeks been full of guests, and the guests find it full of delights. The social features, the balls, the picnics, all go to make the sum of life here measure up to the ideal summer resort.

Mrs. W. O. Furgeson, of Evansville, who has been a social favorite here for some weeks, returned home Tuesday. Monday evening the following ladies gave a luncheon in her honor: Mesdames Jno. A. Bell, Caswell Bennett, A. H. Cardin, Vaughn, of Paducah, McFarland, of Henderson, and Miss Leilia Goodwin of Paducah

The evening recitations have been an enjoyable feature. Mrs. A. H. Cardin, one of the most charming ladies here, has delighted the guests with her recitations. Graceful in poise, winsome in manner, and forceful in utterance, she has made an enviable reputation as a monologist.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Hodge and their two daughters, of Louisville, have been among the pleasant people here the past week. They left Tuesday—Mrs. Hodge to visit her father, Capt. C. Y. Northern, of Livingston county, and Mr. Hodge to take up his work as Superintendent of Agents for one of the big insurance companies doing business in this State. Mr. Hodge has rapidly gone to the forefront as an insurance man, and now holds a trusted and lucrative position in one of the best companies. If I mistake not he will go higher still, and as he is an old Crittenden county boy, I shall watch his deserved success with pleasure.

We have two candidates for State honors with us, and I aver that nowhere on the stump or hustings, or in party councils, or "in the trenches with the boys," are there two persons more popular with their friends and partisans than are Mrs. Caswell Bennett and Mrs. John A. Bell with the

guests here, and if it were left to the spirits here congregated, the former would be unanimously elected State Librarian and the latter Enrolling Clerk of the Senate. And why not? Both are from western Kentucky, the section that "never gets nothing, nohow," (Graves county excepted); both are competent, and both are widows of men who ably served their State and added lustre to their party's name; both husbands died while servants of the public, leaving as the only heritage to their families names that are synonymous for honesty and efficiency in the public service, and loyalty to the people of the great party that gave them promotion. In these times, when the spirit of commercialism (the brilliant pluckage of the eagle of the dollars) is leading men from the old doctrines, it would be a fitting tribute to the memory of the dead, who were as true as the needle to the pole in life, to place the chaplet of victory on the brow of those who were nearest and dearest to them in life.

**Bishop Nominated.**

The Republican Legislative convention held at Salem, Thursday nominated W. D. Bishop, of Livingston county, for Representative.

**Populist Meeting.**

The Populists of Crittenden county will meet at the court house in Marion Monday, August 12. Every Populist in Crittenden county is earnestly requested to be on hand to attend to important business. W. H. Brown, Ch'n.

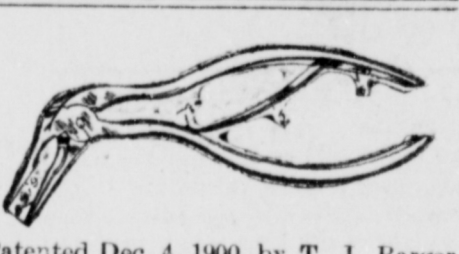
A. H. Cardin, Sec'y.

**Administrator's Notice.**

All persons indebted to the estate of the late W. J. LaRue, by note or account, are requested to call and settle without delay. All persons having claims against said estate must present same, properly proven, on or before Sept. 15, 1901, or the same will be forever barred. Jas. L. LaRue, Chas. LaRue, Administrators.

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GEO. W. ROBINSON, Ma

**Notice.**  
All election officers of 1901 have keys and seals will please turn them to the county office as soon as convenient.  
D. Wood,  
County Cl.

**Does it Pay to Buy Cheap?**  
A cheap remedy for coughs and colds is all right, but you want something that will relieve and cure the most severe and dangerous results of throat and lung troubles. What shall you do? Go to a warmer and more regular climate? Yes, if possible. If not possible for you, then in either case take the ONLY remedy that has been introduced in all civilized countries with success for throat and lung troubles, "Boschee's German Syrup." It not only heals and stimulates the tissues to destroy the germ disease, but allays inflammation, causes easy expectoration, gives a good night's rest, and cures the patient. Try one bottle. Recommended many years by all druggists in the world. For sale by R F Haynes and Jas. H. Orme. Get Green's Prize Almanac.

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In summer can be prevented by taking **Scott's Emulsion** Its is beneficial in summer as in winter. If you are weak or run down, it will build you up. Send for free sample. SCOTT & BOWNE, Chemists, 409-415 Pearl Street, New York. Spec. and \$1.00; all druggists.





#### DO YOU?

What would you think if the robins should say:  
"I believe I'll sing this morn;  
The worms are all dead or hidden away,  
And everything's cold and forlorn?"

What would you think if the flower should sigh:  
"I don't want to blossom to-day;  
The wind is so cold, no blue in the sky;  
The bees have all flitted away?"

What do you think of the mortal who bears  
Forever this wail in his breast:  
"The earth is so sad, so burdened with  
care,  
Come let us be sad with the rest?"

—Clara J. Denton, in Ladies' World, New York.

#### THUNDER TO ORDER.

Something Very Like the Real Thing Can Be Produced by the Experiment Here Described.

Even on the clearest, calmest day thunder, artificial it is true, yet strangely like natural thunder, can be manufactured by anyone who will try the following simple, newly-devised experiment.

Get a piece of ordinary twine two or three feet in length, and place it around the back of your head, according to the manner shown in the accompanying picture. Next bring the two ends forward past the ears, or, rather, past the auricles. The ears must then be closed by keeping the fingers



HOW TO MAKE THUNDER.

pressed firmly over them, and at the same time the fingers or hand must be pressed firmly over the twine at the point where it lies directly outside each auricle. Now ask some one to pull the two ends of the twine with his thumb and index finger, and then, a firm pressure being meanwhile maintained, to let them slip slowly through the fingers.

At once an illusion of thunder will be produced. You will hear peal after peal, and the firmer the pressure on the twine the louder will be the sound. If a few knots are tied in the twine a still more startling illusion will be produced.—N. Y. Herald.

#### PILGRIMAGE TO MECCA.

There Was a Time When Every Pious Moslem Visited the Holy City Once at Least.

About 13 centuries ago Mohammed, which in Arabic means "the Praised," was born in Mecca, Arabia, which since that time has been held as the most holy city in Islam.

Some time after the death of Mohammed his disciples began to make pilgrimages to his birthplace, and the custom has continued ever since, although it is falling into disuse.

There was a time when every pious Moslem made at least one pilgrimage to the holy city, even if it beggared him, which, by the way, it generally did. The pilgrim was entitled to wear a green turban and be called Howadji, about the same as our "honorable."

Mecca is neither a large nor a handsome city. The streets are broad and rather regular, but unpaved, and the houses, built of brick or stone, are old and generally out of repair.

The Beit Ullah (House of God), containing the Kaaba, a building in which is enshrined the sacred black stone said to have been dropped from Paradise with Adam, is a large mosque, capable of containing 30,000 persons, and no other public building, sacred or profane, of any importance, is to be found in the city.

Contrary to the general belief, it is not remarkably difficult for a European or American Christian to visit Mecca, although the exploit is seldom attempted.

Dr. Hurgonje, of Holland, lived six months in Mecca in the guise of a Mohammedan effendi, or doctor, and other Christians have visited the holy city for a week or two. Of course they were disguised, and were familiar with Mohammedan prayers and ceremonies.

During the pilgrim season a disguise is comparatively easy on account of the vast and varied multitudes and the babel of languages. The danger at all times comes not so much from the authorities as from the fanatical mob, who would slay the hapless infidel with the greatest pleasure if they fathomed his secret. The most terrible sufferings attend these vast excursions. All along the traveled routes the sheiks have their agents, who levy toll on the pilgrims on any or no pretense.

At Mecca, should the pilgrim reach the city, the poorest fare is exorbitantly dear and charity unknown. The people of Mecca live on the pilgrims, and if they have no money they may die of hunger, as they frequently do.

Burton says it is no uncommon sight to see the devotees drop in their tracks and die almost unnoticed upon the highway.

#### LIFE IN PORTO RICO.

In Our New Island Possession People Change Their Homes at the Will of the Wind.

There once lived in Porto Rico a little dark-skinned boy named Juan. He did not wear any clothes because he was not yet nine years old. One warm afternoon he came down from the mountain side and lay under a banana tree near his hut. The hill across from him was pleasant to look at. It was covered thickly with palm, orange and other trees, while here and there a thatched hut peeped out from the mass of green. They made him think of his next day's work. A storm had taken the roof off the hut, and he was to help his mother and father build a new one.

Turning to follow a blue and yellow bird in the branches Juan saw his mother coming up the path. She carried a bundle of clothes which she had washed in the river. Juan jumped up and ran to meet her. She smiled, patted him on the head and said: "Juan, pull the stove from under the tree; we must get supper."

His mother lighted the charcoal and Juan put plantain into it to bake. He brought some oranges and bananas while his mother took down the dishes which were hung on the walls of the hut. The dishes were made from gourd shells.

Just then Juan's father came. He was glad to see his little boy, and a happy family sat down to supper. It was quite dark by this time. Juan's father got a guitar, while Juan crept into one corner of the house. He had neither bed nor covering. He heard his mother singing to the soft notes of the guitar and was soon asleep.

Juan awoke before it was light. He had scarcely eaten some rice when his father called out: "Get me the baskets; we must go to market." Juan handed the baskets to his father, who fastened them to the horse's back so that one hung on each side. They were filled with potatoes and corn. The father climbed up and crossed his feet under the horse's neck. He put the boy in front of him and, calling his wife, "I wish you would make me a hat from the grass in the yard," started off.

A turn in the road brought them to the market. There were ox carts and people with baskets on their heads coming from all sides. Juan's father soon had his goods placed in piles on a mat. Everyone had his fruit or vegetables on mats. A pile of 30 lemons or 20 oranges could be bought for six cents.

Juan watched the sales for awhile. Then he met an older boy and they soon became friends. He said his master owned a large plantation. On the way home Juan and his father rode through the main street of the town. There were about 100 little one-story houses side by side and a few stores.

A hungry-looking dog ran out to them from one of the doors. Farther on a lean pig tried to follow them, but it was tied fast to the doorpost. Soon they met the milkman driving



AT THE PORTO RICO MARKET.

three cows and selling milk from door to door.

The houses were farther apart now, and soon they saw their own. As they came into the yard Juan's mother threw away a cigar she had been smoking and came forward with a broad-brimmed hat she had just made. His father put it on and was very much pleased.

Juan's mother moved the dishes, a hammock and a few ragged clothes out of the hut. His father packed them on the little horse and the family started up the mountain to find a good place for the new house. After awhile they came to a mango grove and agreed to build there. Juan's father cut down some tall palm trees that grew near. The little boy and his mother took off the bark and leaves.

Soon the poles were set in the ground in the form of a square. A row of poles in the middle divided the house into two rooms. The rolls of bark were stretched across the spaces between the poles and tied tight with heavy grass. There were no windows. It looked like a large cube ten feet square. Then a ridge pole was placed on top.

The sun was setting and Juan's father said he would thatch the roof the next day. By that Juan knew he meant to tie the large palm leaves to the ridge pole side by side. They were so long that they would reach to the edge of the roof and so tough that they would keep out the rain and heat. Night came, Juan and his mother lay on the floor and were soon asleep. His father slept in a hammock.—Isabelle F. Bowler in Chicago Record-Herald.

#### HOW PEOPLE DROWN

Old Life-Saver Says They Never Signal for Assistance.

Impression That a Drowning Person Comes to the Surface Three Times Said to Be Without Foundation.

(Special Washington Letter.)

OF ALL the stories about drowning people, this is the most singular and interesting that the writer has ever heard. There is a free bathing beach in the Potomac river which is carefully guarded, and yet quite a number of bathers have lost their lives there. One of the life savers there to-day said: "In all my experience, and I have had considerable at various watering resorts, I have never known of a single instance of a drowning person calling for help."

"It is generally supposed that persons struggling in the water call for assistance, but such is not the case. For some reason, which can hardly be explained, they never signal help. They simply throw up one hand, not both, mind you, and under they go. I have noticed this particularly at the Washington beach. In not a single instance has there been a call for help. I have pulled persons from the water within a few feet of the raft who were struggling for life, yet who never uttered a single outcry."

"It was only that I happened to notice their peculiar actions in the water, and not the noise they made, that impelled me to go after them. Time and again I have seen poor swimmers start from the shore and after paddling a short distance throw up one hand and go under. It is the most remarkable thing imaginable that they give no signal of distress when help is so near. I have often asked rescued persons why they did not call for help, but they could give no explanation. They knew they were drowning, but the only sign of their peril was the involuntary raising of the arm. I have become so accustomed to this sort of thing—that peculiar manner in which a drowning person throws up the hand—that among a score of bathers diving, ducking and splashing about I can tell the one in danger in an instant."

"When he goes down it is with head thrown far back. As the water washes over the face up comes the hand. Then it slowly disappears, going under inch by inch."

"Then if anything is done it must be done quickly. I have heard many stories of a drowning person making a great racket to attract attention, but I do not believe them. When more than one person is in danger I have known of calls, but invariably they came from the one who could swim enough to save himself, but who could not bring the drowning one ashore. The one in immediate peril simply goes under without a sound. I have been with fairly good swimmers who became exhausted, and who, without a word of warning, threw back the head as though about to float or swim on the back, and go under. As they sank one arm came up."

"One would suppose that a person who could swim would be exempt from this dumbness in the moment of danger, but it is not so. Of course, many persons who start from shore get out so far that they realize they cannot get back without assistance, and will call for help before their energy has been all spent. Possibly they may manage to keep afloat until assistance comes, so when they cry out they are not actually drowning. When it comes to giving up and going under they sink slowly, but without a sound."

"The more I think of this phase of the drowning question the more remarkable it seems. Boys have been drowned here who would have been rescued had they but called once. They have gone under surrounded by companions and so close to the life guard that rescue would have been



JUST BEFORE DROWNING.

assured had there been any signal whatsoever.

"The impression that a drowning person comes to the surface three times is a mistake. In fact, in most cases he goes under once and stays there unless some one goes after him. Ordinarily, a person overboard takes enough water into the body on first sinking to weight it so that it will not rise to the surface, but there seems to be no rule of nature governing this."

"I suppose if one goes under with the lungs full of air the body will come to the surface, but usually the first sinking is the last."

is another of the mysteries of drowning. If there are more ways of killing a cat than one, so there are more reasons than one why people drown. Good swimmers, bad swimmers, and those who can't swim at all go under and stay from time to time. If people will go into the water, people will drown. We guard against accidents to the best of our ability, but occasionally some one goes down never to come up alive. We guards sit here and watch, go in and drag out all who appear in distress, but despite our vigilance suddenly some one will be missed, going down without a word, surrounded by half a hundred persons, any one of whom would possibly have been able to extend a helping hand.

"As soon as the alarm is sounded everyone is called from the water and



"I'VE JUST COME IN, MISTER."

the guards begin diving and searching along the bottom. It is impossible for anyone to remain under long without being discovered. We have been very successful in saving those who have been taken from the bottom by working on them ashore. In only a comparatively few instances has it been impossible to revive the bather. Of the drownings the public always hears, but the lives that we save at the beach seldom attract attention. Day after day boys have been rescued who probably never even told their parents that they had been on the point of drowning."

"The first thing a boy does on being rescued, if in a conscious condition, is to tell a lie. He will declare that he was not drowning, but was only trying to fool some other boy. It seems to be regarded as a rather disgraceful thing to be caught in the act of drowning. It doesn't reflect very much credit on the average boy, but it is a fact that as soon as he finds that a companion with whom he came to the beach is missing, the survivor begins to think of home and mother, and in nine cases out of ten will start for the bath house without giving the alarm."

"As to how long it is possible for a person to remain under the water and live I do not know. The longest I have any personal knowledge of is 15 minutes. This was the case of a colored man. He fell from a steamboat wharf at a summer resort in Maine. He came on the steamer which blew as it reached the wharf. I heard the whistle and looked at my watch. It was four o'clock. Afterward I went to the wharf and was told that the man fell just as the whistle blew. No one had gone after him, so I dived in and brought him out of 20 feet of water. I looked at my watch and it was 15 minutes and some seconds after four. I had no hope for the man, but he was taken to the hospital and survived. I saw him often afterwards."

"Boys should always have elder brothers or fathers or guardians with them," very earnestly said the life-saver. "They will remain in the water too long, unless they are restrained. Almost invariably when I command a lad to come out he promptly replies: 'I only just come in, mister, 'deed I did. Jimmy, there, has been in for a long time;' when, as a matter of fact, both little rascals have been in the water for two hours or longer. Remaining long in the water weakens people, no matter how strong they may be naturally. The water opens every pore and sucks the skin dry. The boys who are allowed to stay in the water more than an hour are in fit condition to have cramps and drown. The youngsters would stay in the water until they sprouted fins, but the beach attendants are watchful and compel them to come ashore. Very often, after they are dressed, they look so different that they can come back inside of 15 minutes and get into the water again."

"During the past week 4,873 people took plunges from this beach, including men and strangers visiting the city, with boys or attendants. Some of the boys have formed clubs for aquatic sports, and they contest as earnestly as the members of popular organizations. They swim stated distances, accompanied by skiffs and life guards. They dive for depths or distances, but are carefully watched so that life-savers can dive after them if they do not come up very promptly. Altogether, this swimming beach on the Potomac is one of the most enjoyable and healthful of the summer resorts of the national capital."

And, he might have added, always one of the most dangerous.

SMITH D. FRY.

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The cannibals of Fly river, Guinea, do not eat missionaries because they have any religious dislike to them, but because as nonconsumers of rum and tobacco their flesh is more palatable than that of most other white men. They turn with aversion from flesh tainted with the flavor of alcohol and tobacco.

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**A Sharp-Tongued Woman.**  
Mrs. Wicks—When my husband says anything I have to take it with a grain of salt.  
Mr. Hicks—When my wife says anything I have to take it with a good many grains of pepper.—Somerville Journal.

**An Excellent Reason.**—"Why do they throw old shoes after a bridal couple?"  
"Well, I suppose because they're so much cheaper than new ones."—Philadelphia Bulletin.

**Reasonable Objection.**  
Mistress—What was the policeman doing in the kitchen, Nora?  
Nora—Courtin' me, mum.  
"Then he'll have to stop. I'll not let you make a police court out of my kitchen."—Philadelphia Record.

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**Honesty Pays.**  
Jim—Honesty is der best policy, after all.  
Bill—How?  
"Remember that dog I stole?"  
"Yep."  
"Well, I tried two hull days to sell 'im, an' no one offered more'n a dollar. So I went, like a honest man, an' gu him to th' ole lady what owned 'im, an' she guv me five dollars."—N. Y. Weekly.

**Displaying His Caution.**  
"I noticed he was unusually formal and circumspect in his behavior," she told her dearest friend, "and I thought at first I had offended him in some way."  
"Had you?"  
"Oh, no. As soon as Brother Willie came in and got the phonograph he had inadvertently left on the table everything was all right again."—Chicago Post.

**Not Qualified to Speak.**  
Rev. Mr. Doper (the exchange preacher)—Deacon Elder, what do you think of a man who will sleep in church?  
Deacon Elder—You'll have to excuse me, Mr. Doper. I wasn't at church last Sunday. You see, I heard you were going to preach, and—the fact is, I'm apt to be sleepy myself now and then.—Boston Transcript.

**Two Classes.**  
The Music Teacher—I might settle here, madam, if I thought I could obtain pupils enough.  
She—You might prosper. There are some here whose voices could be cultivated.  
The Music Teacher—And others, no doubt, who would take lessons?—Puck.

**"Don't Fret."**  
If you want to keep cool  
Just follow this rule:  
It's the best we have run across yet:  
"All the 'Don't's' that you find  
Let in one be combined—  
'Don't fret!'"  
—Philadelphia Bulletin.



**SOMEWHAT INVOLVED.**  
Young Wife—Our marriage has not been as happy as I thought it would be, and I didn't think it would.—Moonshine.

**The Difference.**  
The bee stings once and then may never sting again;  
The slanders, day after day,  
In wanton malice sting away.  
—Chicago Record-Herald.

**Protected.**  
Tommy (tearfully)—If yer don't gimme back dem marbles yer fobbed, I'll tell me big brudder.  
Patsy—G'wan an' tell him! He fasn't do nothin'.  
Tommy—He dasn't? Why?  
Patsy—He goes wit' me sister. See?  
—Puck.

**A Week Off.**  
Head of Firm—I shall not be well enough to be at the office for several days.  
Clerk—Why, you look all right now, sir.  
Head of Firm—But I'm going shopping with my wife this afternoon.—Harper's Bazar.

**The Lightning Gossip Route.**  
"Well, that's quick work."  
"What's that?"  
"A man from San Francisco told his cousin in New York a secret he hadn't told his wife, and before he got home in ten days his wife had a letter from his cousin's wife, telling her all about it."—Chicago Record-Herald.

**How He Felt.**  
She (after refusing him)—Er—do you feel very, very uncomfortable?  
He (miserably)—Uncomfortable? I feel as uncomfortable as one does who asks a store clerk for some certain article and is told: "We don't have any call for that nowadays!"—Brooklyn Eagle.

**Tastes Differ.**  
Dealer—Here, madam, is a horse I can recommend—sound, kind—  
Old Lady—Oh, I don't want that sort of a horse. He holds his head high.  
Dealer—Eh?  
Old Lady—I like a horse that holds his nose close to the ground, so he can see where he's going.—N. Y. Weekly.

**Expediency.**  
"On what platform will you stand in your next campaign?" asked the friend.  
"It won't be any platform," answered the candidate. "It'll merely be a rough scaffolding, thrown together to meet the necessities of the occasion."—Washington Star.

**Remarkable Woman.**  
"Mrs. Locker is a remarkable woman, isn't she?"  
"Well, she certainly makes a good many remarks."—Brooklyn Eagle.

**Where He Was Efficient.**  
"Your son," said the teacher, "has missed it on arithmetic."  
"Yes."  
"No good at spelling."  
"Yes."  
"A dunce in history."  
"Yes."  
"And there's no good in him."  
"Perfessor," said the farmer, "have you ever heard that boy cussin' of a Georgia mule, under a brillin' sun, in a ten-acre field?"—Atlanta Constitution.

**Faith, It Was So.**  
When Pat Devine kissed Kate Magee she was as mad as she could be, but when he begged her, "Kate, be mine!" To'er 'twas human to forgive Devine.  
—Philadelphia Press.



**Dr. A—I performed an operation on Bornson yesterday.**  
Dr. B—Yes, I know; saw it in the papers.  
A—In the papers?  
B—Yes; in the death notices this morning.—Sondags-Nisse.

**Fact in Fiction.**  
"Of making many books there is no end"—This truth would be as maddening as it looks.  
Did not this joyous fact its successor lend:  
One season sees the end of many books!—Puck.

**Advantageous Terms.**  
"I hear that you have compromised your suit for damages against the P. D. & Q. Railroad company."  
"Yes."  
"Advantageously?"  
"Very."  
"What were the terms?"  
"They paid my lawyer's bill."—Town Topics.

**Those Loving Girls.**  
Nell—Did you ever take part in amateur theatricals?  
Beas—Yes, once. I took one of the principal parts in "Beauty and the Beast!"  
Nell—Oh, tell me all about it! Who took the part of Beauty?  
Beas—Chicago Daily News.

**The Worst Yet.**  
Farmer Hayrake—Deacon Perkins did get stuck awfully on his last New York trip.  
Farmer Whiffletree—How wuz that?  
Farmer Hayrake—Why, he took down six o' those old gold bricks o' his'n and swapped 'em off for 50,000 shares of oil stock.—Puck.

**Her Chance.**  
"Look at those two bad boys in the river," said Mr. Markley, as they crossed the bridge.  
"By the way, dear, that reminds me," replied his wife, "let me have a couple of dollars? I've got to get a pair of undressed kids."—Philadelphia Press.

**Behaved.**  
"So Spudder's going to join your fishing club, eh?"  
"No. He heard that a man had to be a pretty good liar as well as a fisherman, to join."  
"Well?"  
"Spadder can't fish."—Brooklyn Life.

**Kept Busy.**  
On the lecture platform women  
Of themselves oft make sights;  
But the foot that rocks a cradle,  
Never kicks for women's rights.  
—Chicago Daily News.

**ONE WAY OF LOOKING AT IT.**



Mabel—Miss Small is treating poor Johnstone shamefully.  
Ethel—O, really, I haven't heard anything.  
Mabel—Haven't you? They say she's going to marry him.—The King.

**Beatified.**  
In quest of sleep my eyes I shut,  
But fierce discomforts thrill,  
I bought it for a mattress, but  
It seems more like a grill.  
—Washington Star.

**Solving a Problem.**  
"One of our troubles at the club," said Cholly, "has been to make the waitahs distinguishable from the membahs at our evening weceptions. But we've solved it at last."  
"Ah!" remarked Kostick. "By getting intelligent-looking waitahs?"—Philadelphia Record.

**The Wrong Thing.**  
Parke—Yes, sir, if I had a wife who was a Christian Scientist, I would leave her in a minute.  
Lane—What a fool you'd be! Why, she'd advertise it as a cure.—Judge.

**Those Lucky Boston Girls.**  
"Miss Beez never gets nervous about the heat."  
"But she's from Boston, you know."  
"Yes, I fancied so. She scowled horribly when I split an infinitive yesterday. But why does that save her from worrying over the heat?"  
"She never knows how hot it really is."  
"Explain."  
"Why, when she takes the thermometer from the book her hand is so cold that the mercury gets a chill and falls down in a comatose condition, and by the time she can bring her nearsighted spectacles to bear on the tube the freezing point is in sight. 'Fifty-three,' she said yesterday as she stared at the thermometer. 'Isn't it singular how the imagination will affect the human mind? Now, I don't call that hot.' And it was actually 91 degrees in the shade!"—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

**Why She Was Pensive.**  
"You say," she murmured as she watched the moonlight on the sea, "that I am an angel?"  
"Yes."  
She was silent for a long time.  
"Why so pensive?" he inquired sickly.  
"I was wondering whether, some day, when the mercury was up in the vicinity of a hundred, and the ice man forgot us and the cream is sour, and you have a headache because you have been working hard—I was wondering whether I'd call me an angel then. Don't answer right away," she added in that cold business-like tone that women are learning to assume. "Take your time and think it over."  
—Washington Star.

**Looked Like It.**  
"John, dear," said the bride, after they had got to keeping house, with a never-vacant "spare room," "I believe all our friends think we are perfectly miserable."  
"Why, my dear?" cried the astonished husband.  
"Well, they seem to be carrying on the idea that 'misery loves company.'"—Philadelphia Bulletin.

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Sometimes a man gains by losing.—Chicago Daily News.

Do not hope to get rid of fools; too many of them.—Acheson Globe.

"Spain is to have a new navy." "For how long?"—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Gratitude is the memory of the heart.—Massieu.

The only way you can get along with some people is by jollying them.—Washington (La.) Democrat.

The secret of some men's success lies in doing a thing first and talking about it a few days later.—Chicago Daily News.

"Is your new household help tidy?" "If anything, too much so. The other day I found her washing the faces of the gold fish in the aquarium."—Philadelphia Times.

Wilton—"They say Hittsought is a 'dead game sport.'" Hilton—"He is. He buys a lot of bears and bucks from the guides and tells the people down home that they are the trophies of his prowess."—Philadelphia Press.

**Darkens His Life.—Ask!**  
"Why does Wilton, the great author, wear such a look of constant fear?" Tellit—"He wrote the class song when he graduated, and his enemies are constantly threatening to make it public."—Baltimore American.

"Johnny," said the little fellow's mamma, "I want to give you a piece of cake, but I can't find the key to the pantry." "That's all right, mamma," replied the bright little Johnny. "I know how to get in without a key." "That's all I want to know," she said, as she reached for the slipper.—Glasgow Evening News.

**Cause and Effect.**  
"He's quite a prominent politician here, is he not?" inquired the visiting Briton. "Oh, no, he's a statesman!" replied the native. "Well, what's the difference?" "A statesman, my dear sir, is one who is in politics because he has money. A politician is one who has money because he is in politics."—Philadelphia Press.

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# NEWS OF THE COUNTY.

## SHADY GROVE.

A good rain visited our vicinity Monday morning and was welcomed by all.

Rev Engle preached for us last 4th Sunday, filling Bro. Wallace's place.

Moore & Langley finished prizing tobacco the first of the week.

About half a crop of corn will be the yield this year in our section.

Tobacco is good.

Mrs. J. B. Hubbard, of Marion, was visiting in our town last week.

It is reported that Dr. Yost, of Providence, will locate here in the near future to practice his profession.

All the talk here now is the camp meeting at Piney next Sunday.

There is talk of this place being added to the Marion exchange by Mr Alexander, which would be appreciated by most of our citizens.

Piney bridge is once more on foot and the dread crossing is a thing of the past.

Some of our people will likely attend the Madisonville fair the last of the week.

Fred Casner of Bellville was in town Sunday.

A good crowd was in town last Saturday and everything was on the push.

## A Minister's Good Work.

"I had a severe attack of bilious colic got a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhea Remedy, took two doses and was entirely cured," says Rev A A Power of Emporia, Kan. "My neighbor across the street was sick for over a week, had two or three bottles of medicine from the doctor. He used them for three or four days without relief, then called in another doctor and did her no good so discharged him. I went over to see him next morning. He said that his bowels were in a terrible fix, that they had been running off so long that it was almost bloody flux. I asked him if he had tried Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhea Remedy and he said 'No.' I went home and brought my bottle and gave him one dose, told him to take another dose in 15 or 20 minutes if he did not find relief, but he took no more and was entirely cured. For sale by R. F. Haynes.

## MEXICO.

Mr. Wilson and wife, of Alto, Ark., were visiting their sister, Mrs Thos Nelson, last week.

Rev. Stephenson is quite sick with typhoid fever.

John Moneymaker is on the sick list.

T. A. Yandell will move to Hillville in the near future.

Born to the wife of Jack Wheeler, a girl.

Logan Hamby and wife were guests of relatives on Claylick Friday.

A little child of James Blakely is quite sick.

Mrs George Drennan gave the young people a singing Sunday evening.

Mrs Ida McGee is greatly improved.

This community was visited by a good rain Monday, that changed the look of the growing corn and tobacco very much.

School began here Monday with Miss Hill as teacher.

Mrs. Hern and children of Henderson, were guests of Mrs John Deering last week.

Mrs Shella Grinstaff of Flatrock was visiting her father last week.

Their was a musical at Mr Williams' Saturday night.

Doc Brasher is a guest of relatives near Hillville.

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## IRON HILL.

Lindsey Travis and Mrs. Ann Perkins were the guests of friends at Shady Grove this week.

Misses Vienna and Elva Roberts visited near Shady Grove Tuesday.

Misses Elva, Anna and Alpha Kemp visited friends here Tuesday.

Mrs J. C. Brown and daughter visited her sister Wednesday.

Our friends are busy getting ready for the camp meeting.

George Parrish of Dalton was a guest of J. N. Roberts Monday.

George Sutton and children, of this place, visited in Hopkins county Saturday and Sunday.

Nat Sutton is attending to business in Union county this week.

The bridge is about completed at this place.

Charles Clift and Will Riley, of Bordley, are visiting their relatives here.

"Through the months of June and July our baby was teething, and took a running off at the bowels and sickness of the stomach," says O P M Holliday, of Deming, Ind. "His bowels would move from five to eight times a day. I had a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhea Remedy in the house and gave him four drops in a teaspoonful of water and he got better at once. Sold by R. F. Haynes.

Mr and Mrs Tom Travis were the guests of Billy Kemp's family Monday.

Will Wallace is arranging his business to move to Missouri this fall. Mr. Wallace is a fine man, and he will be greatly missed by the people of this community.

J. E. Roberts was in Sturgis Friday on business.

Henry Murray was here Monday.

## What a Tale It Tells.

If that mirror of yours shows a wretched, sallow complexion, a jaundiced look, moth patches and blotches on the skin, its Liver trouble; but Dr Kings New Life Pills regulate the liver, purify the blood, give clear skin, rosy cheeks, rich complexion. 25c at Orme's.

## DYCUSBURG.

A fine rain Monday.

Miss Lelia Marlow, of Paducah, has been visiting friends here for the past two weeks.

Mrs Parson and little son, of Pinckneyville, was the guest of Steve Tisdale's family last week.

Mrs. Mattie Wadlington has been visiting friends of Smithland.

Gen. Lyon and H. H. Cassidy of Eddyville were in town a few days ago.

Misses Ebbie Pickens and Jessie Glenn were visiting friends in town Sunday and Monday.

Tom P. Moore is at home this week.

Homer Butler and his sister, from Salem, were in town Sunday evening.

Louis Flanagan, wife and daughter, of Metropolis, Ill., were guests of Judge Clifton's family the past week.

Misses Cora Clifton and Helen Graves attended the midsummer ball at Crittenden springs.

A large crowd of young people attended the ice cream supper at Pinckneyville Saturday night.

Mrs Jennie Gray, of Princeton, is the guest of Mrs Maggie Cassidy this week.

## Their Secret Is Out.

All Sadierville, Ky., was curious to know the cause of the vast improvement in the health of Mrs. S. P. Whittaker, who had for a long time endured untold suffering from a chronic bronchial trouble. "It's all due to Dr King's New Discovery," writes her husband. "It completely cured her and also cured our little granddaughter of a severe attack of whooping cough." It positively cures Coughs Colds, Lagrippe, Bronchitis, all Throat and Lung troubles. Guaranteed bottles 50c and \$1. Trial bottle free at Orme's.

# Coughing

"I was given up to die with quick consumption. I then began to use Ayer's Cherry Pectoral. I improved at once, and am now in perfect health."—Chas. E. Hartman, Gibbstown, N. Y.

It's too risky, playing with your cough. The first thing you know it will be down deep in your lungs and the play will be over. Begin early with Ayer's Cherry Pectoral and stop the cough.

Three sizes: 25c., 50c., \$1. All druggists.

Consult your doctor. If he says take it, then do as he says. If he tells you not to take it, then don't take it. No known danger. Leave it with him. We are willing. J. C. AYER CO., Lowell, Mass.

## CHAPEL HILL.

Those on the sick list this week are Mrs Lude Hill, Mrs. Jas Hill, Mr Jeff Yandell.

Mrs Jennie Rankin and daughter, of Repton, are visiting Chas. Clement.

B. F. Walker and family visited Mr. Prince, of Levias, Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs Horace Williamson returned from Anora Friday, where she has been with her daughter, who has been very low with typhoid fever.

"My baby was terribly sick with the diarrhoea, says J H Doak, of Williams, Oregon. We were unable to cure him with the doctor's assistance, and as a last resort we tried Chamberlain's Colic Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. I am happy to say it gave immediate relief and a complete cure. For sale by Haynes.

Eura Bigham and family visited Ed Hill of Salem Saturday.

Chapel Hill was blessed with a fine rain, the first since July 3.

James Fowler is bailing straw. Straw is in demand, so says Jim.

John Riley, from Cisco Chapel, was through this neighborhood Saturday.

H. S. Hill sold some fine cattle to John Reed Saturday.

Myrtle McChord says he had rather sell candy than pull tobacco worm's heads off.

Clarence Daughtery, from Caldwell Springs, was in Chapel Hill last week to see his best girl.

What most people want is something mild and gentle, when in need of a physic. Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets fill the bill to a dot. They are easy to take and pleasant in effect. For sale by R. F. Haynes.

There will be a good many hogs fed for the fall market at Chapel Hill.

Messrs H. O. Hill and W. H. Bigham are digging and prospecting for water.

Albert Crider is greeting his many relatives and friends in Chapel Hill.

Tobacco in this neighborhood is looking fairly well. We have some as good tobacco in our precinct as usual.

John Rushing, from Midway precinct, was in our neighborhood last week.

We are glad to state that Billy Adams is improving; he has had a serious time with his eyes.

## Question Answered.

Yes, August Flower still has the largest sale of any medicine in the civilized world. Your mothers and grandmothers never thought of using anything else for Indigestion or Biliousness. Doctors were scarce and they seldom heard of Appendicitis, Nervous Prostration or Heart failure, etc. They used August Flower to clean out the system and stop fermentation of undigested food, regulate the action of the liver, stimulate the nervous and organic action of the system, and that is all they took when feeling dull and bad with headaches and other aches. You only need a few doses of Green's August Flower, in liquid form, to make you satisfied there is nothing serious the matter with you. For sale by R. F. Haynes and J. H. Orme. Get Green's Prize Almanac.

## CARRSVILLE.

Prissey Gwartney returned from Lexington last week, where he has been for the past five months taking a course in telegraphy.

Rev R. H. Roe is at Hampton, campmeeting this week.

We now have our own sulphur spring. Some years ago this spring was found on A. C. Babb's farm. Recently donations have been made for improvements on it. It has been dug to the depth of sixteen feet and tiling has been sunk. A shed will be erected and other improvements brought about to make it convenient to the public. These improvements are due to William Bridges, who has given both time and money to the enterprise. One day it promises to become at least a local resort.

## Is Life Worth Living?

Sleeplessness, nervousness debility and palpitation of the heart are not diseases; they are symptoms indicating that the various vital organs are not working in harmony. Morley's Kidney Cordial restores order and rids the body of all the waste products that clog the system. It insures sound digestion, sound nerves, and sound sleep. Sold by Orme.

## A CARD.

TO THE VOTERS OF CRITTENDEN COUNTY:

At the solicitation of many friends, of the various political parties, and having received the nomination of my party without opposition, I take pleasure in announcing that I am a candidate for re-election to the office of county court clerk, and hope that you will give my claims due consideration, and any and all favors shown me in this matter will be duly and kindly appreciated; and if re-elected I promise a faithful and impartial discharge of the duties of said office, as I have ever tried to do in the past; and permit me to return you my heartfelt thanks for your many acts of kindness extended me, and for the confidence reposed in me as your public servant and friend in the by gone years, and during all of which time I have endeavored to be faithful to the trusts confided to me, in the discharge of all of my official duties required by law, but how far short I have come, you are to be the judges; and knowing that your judgment will be just, I submit my entire case with you, and whatever decision you may render next November will be cheerfully accepted by me, Respectfully yours,

D. WOODS, Co. Clerk.

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